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Pennsylvania Broilers

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Pennsylvania Broiler Placements Down 4 Percent from the Previous Week

Pennsylvania: Broiler chicks placed in the Commonwealth during the week ending July 22, 2006, were 2,891,000, down 4 percent from the previous week but 3 percent above the corresponding week a year earlier. Placements during the past 9 weeks were 2 percent below one year ago. Settings for broiler chicks were 4,178,000, up 2 percent from the previous week but down 6 percent from the same week a year ago. The current 3-week total of eggs set is 2 percent below the comparable period last year.

Nineteen States: Broiler chicks placed in the 19 Selected States were 171,223,000, down 2 percent from the previous week and down 1 percent from the corresponding week a year earlier.

Placements during the past 9 weeks were 2 percent below one year ago. Settings for broiler chicks were 213,629,000, down slightly from the previous week and down 1 percent from the same week a year ago. The current 3-week total of eggs set is 1 percent below the comparable period last year.

Expected Marketings: Expected marketings, based on placements 7-9 weeks earlier, less mortality allowance, in Pennsylvania for the week ending September 16, 2006, will be 2,866,000, up 1 percent from a year earlier. The 19 States expected marketings should total 167,803,000, 1 percent below the previous year.

Broilers Placed, Eggs Set, Expected Marketings

Period Covered	Pennsylvania			19 States		
	Number (1,000)	Percent		Number (1,000)	Percent	
		Previous Week	Year Earlier		Previous Week	Year Earlier
Broilers Placed						
Past Week	2,891	96	103	171,223	98	99
Past 9 Weeks	26,332	NA	98	1,565,048	NA	98
Eggs Set						
Past Week	4,178	102	94	213,629	100	99
Past 3 Weeks	12,343	NA	98	638,050	NA	99
Expected Marketings						
Week Ending: Sep 16, 2006	2,866	NA	101	167,803	NA	99

Poultry Slaughter: Broiler-fryers slaughtered in Pennsylvania under Federal Inspection during the week ending July 15, 2006, totaled 2,280,000 head with an average live weight of 5.34 pounds.

This publication can be found on the Internet at
www.nass.usda.gov/Statistics_by_State/Pennsylvania/Publications/Broilers

Broiler Eggs Set, 19 Selected States

State	Week Ending					
	Jun 17 2006	Jun 24 2006	Jul 1 2006	Jul 8 2006	Jul 15 2006	Jul 22 2006
	<i>Thousand</i>	<i>Thousand</i>	<i>Thousand</i>	<i>Thousand</i>	<i>Thousand</i>	<i>Thousand</i>
AL	31,137	30,768	*31,865	31,436	32,033	32,037
AR	28,900	29,739	29,397	29,697	30,275	30,099
DE	3,854	3,957	3,765	3,887	3,969	3,824
FL	1,374	1,373	1,369	1,364	1,344	1,364
GA	35,312	34,559	34,920	34,205	35,020	34,858
KY	7,061	6,831	6,958	7,105	7,264	7,306
LA	3,923	3,923	3,923	3,798	3,954	3,954
MD	8,961	9,007	8,959	8,934	8,942	8,855
MS	17,432	17,732	*17,038	17,851	17,916	17,720
ND	18,031	18,436	*17,973	18,047	18,762	18,416
OK	6,533	6,493	6,307	6,118	*6,252	6,394
PA	4,110	3,991	3,920	4,088	4,077	4,178
SC	5,103	5,124	5,454	5,161	5,455	5,385
TX	14,870	14,884	13,099	14,819	14,816	14,611
VA	6,338	6,354	6,084	6,318	6,382	6,348
CA, MO, TN, & WV	17,939	*17,621	*17,322	17,604	*17,528	18,280
19 State Total	210,878	*210,792	*208,353	210,432	*213,989	213,629
Previous Year Total	214,626	212,546	209,473	212,303	214,405	215,913
Pct. of Prev. Year	98	99	99	99	100	99

* Revised.

Broiler Chicks Set, 19 Selected States

State	Week Ending					
	Jun 17 2006	Jun 24 2006	Jul 1 2006	Jul 8 2006	Jul 15 2006	Jul 22 2006
	<i>Thousand</i>	<i>Thousand</i>	<i>Thousand</i>	<i>Thousand</i>	<i>Thousand</i>	<i>Thousand</i>
AL	21,647	21,192	22,099	21,003	20,659	21,700
AR	23,373	23,547	24,123	22,993	*24,378	22,883
DE	5,740	5,162	4,883	4,703	5,916	5,971
FL	1,408	1,535	1,641	1,546	1,487	1,390
GA	28,858	28,642	28,484	28,873	*28,322	28,387
KY	6,286	5,400	6,203	5,986	5,836	5,869
LA	3,741	4,024	3,830	3,670	3,578	3,916
MD	5,097	6,022	6,098	6,795	5,977	5,699
MS	15,877	15,833	15,885	15,408	15,776	15,166
ND	15,230	15,234	15,302	14,735	15,629	15,060
OK	5,107	5,080	4,943	5,176	*4,527	5,481
PA	2,861	2,821	3,029	2,945	3,027	2,891
SC	4,460	4,364	4,870	5,067	*4,130	4,754
TX	12,910	12,983	12,863	12,673	12,800	11,069
VA	5,075	5,194	5,248	5,485	5,503	5,198
CA, MO, TN, & WV	17,043	16,311	*16,047	*16,575	*16,578	15,789
19 State Total	174,713	173,344	*175,548	*173,633	*174,123	171,223
Previous Year Total	178,125	178,879	178,732	176,964	175,429	172,892
Pct. of Prev. Year	98	97	98	98	99	99

* Revised.